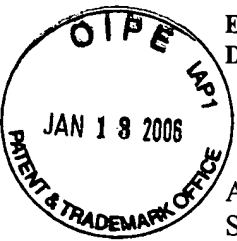


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1. Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages), in duplicate;
2. Modified Form 1449/PTO (1 page), in duplicate;
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If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at 617-542-6000.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with the present submission which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 50-0311, Reference No. 23906-002. A duplicate copy of this Transmittal Letter is enclosed.

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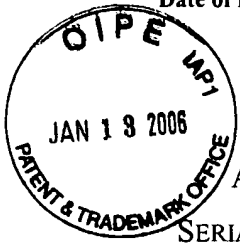
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This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action based on the merits in the above-identified case. Accordingly, no fee or certification is believed due. By the waiver of 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2)(i) copies of the U.S. Patents A1-A4 are not submitted.

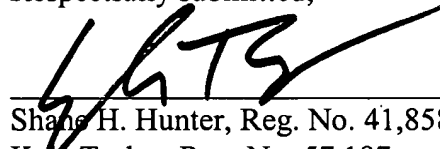
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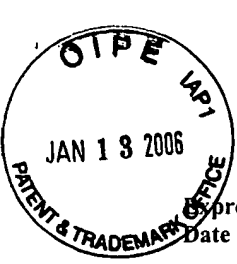
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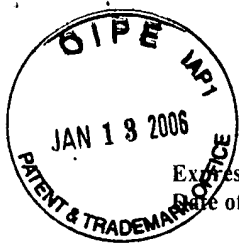
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